

252K.301 Proceedings under this chapter.

1. Except as otherwise provided in [this chapter](#), [this article](#) applies to all proceedings under [this chapter](#).
2. [This chapter](#) provides for the following proceedings:
 - a. Establishment of an order for spousal support or child support pursuant to [article 4](#).
 - b. Enforcement of a support order and income withholding order of another state without registration pursuant to [article 5](#).
 - c. Registration of an order for spousal support or child support of another state for enforcement pursuant to [article 6](#).
 - d. Modification of an order for child support or spousal support issued by a tribunal of this state pursuant to [article 2, part 2](#).
 - e. Registration of an order for child support of another state for modification pursuant to [article 6](#).
 - f. Determination of parentage pursuant to [article 7](#).
 - g. Assertion of jurisdiction over nonresidents pursuant to [article 2, part 1](#).
3. An individual movant or a support enforcement agency may commence a proceeding authorized under [this chapter](#) by filing a petition or a comparable pleading in an initiating tribunal for forwarding to a responding tribunal or by filing a petition or a comparable pleading directly in a tribunal of another state which has or can obtain personal jurisdiction over the respondent or nonmoving party.
[97 Acts, ch 175, §134](#)